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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : BEDERKE  
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For : COUPLING PIECE...  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated December 28, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows: